



Fremont – Winema Resource Advisory Committee Minutes for June 11, 2004

Present:

*Alan Withers
Anita Ward
Bill Duke
Clair Thomas
Craig Ditman
Don Gentry
Gary Johnson
Jane O’Keeffe
Mary Baker
Pete Talbott
Susan Baker Schloth
Craig Bienz
Bill Aney*

Absent:

*Steve West
Chuck Wells
Fred Rasmussen
Hank Mroczkowski
Rick Brown*

Meeting was called to order @ 8:15am in the McLoughlin room @ the Shilo Klamath Falls.

Bill Aney presented a powerpoint presentation on fuels management on the Fremont-Winema and BLM, substituting for Fuels Staff Dan Shoun.

RAC members would like Bill to send a copy of the presentation to them. Clair Thomas and Craig Bienz would like to have it as a teaching tool.

Bill Duke, Chair, ordered the committee to go into caucus to evaluate FY05 proposals.

Bill Aney reminded the group of the bylaws and the process the RAC uses for prioritizing projects.

12:18 resumed meeting.

Bill Duke asked for a committee decision on any dropped projects.
EL-501 Thomas Creek flow monitoring was unanimously dropped.

The committee discussed potential dates for the summer 2005 field trips. *The field trips for the RAC committee are set for July 28, 2004 in Klamath and August 12, 2004 for Lake County.*

There was much discussion on the fact that Chiloquin RD had so many projects that the committee would not be able to fund them all., and the RAC would like to have some way of knowing what the districts' priorities would be. The suggestion was made to have the districts prioritize their projects. The committee felt this would help in making their decision.

Pete Talbott suggested that we have a map for the committee with previous projects and new proposals (watersheds), so that the committee could see how their work was being distributed across the landscape.

The committee then began the process of ranking projects. The projects were prioritized : See prioritization list at the end of this document.

Other Business:

Current RAC member terms all expire in January, 2005. Bill Aney passed out nomination forms as the RAC committee positions need to be reapplied for by July 2, 2004.

Meeting Critique

The Committee discussed the idea of putting a request out for a project they would like to see submitted, but took no action

Would like to see the score sheets with larger type and with room for comments, with as much information as possible

Lake County and Klamath to have their own spreadsheet page.

The committee prefers the application for funding form from FY03 and not the one designed for FY04.

The RAC would like to have a map that indicates the Condition Class and the location or all vegetation treatment projects proposed for next year.

RAC Committee would like the press release to be sent in earlier next year and for us to advertise the meeting on the local cable. Would like to see more public input. Would like to have the meeting advertised more!!

The meeting was adjourned at 2:18pm.

Klamath County Projects – prioritized RAC recommendations

Blue = funded from FY05 Title II allocation

Yellow = “on the bubble” – partially funded, will probably be fully funded after carryover is included

Project#	Project Name	District	FY05 request	Approved amount	Running total
WK-12-401	Hog Creek Meadow	Chiloquin	20000	20000	20000
wk-11-503	Jack Creek Meadow Restoration	Chemult	181500	181500	201500
WK-12-502	Lone Pine PCT plantation	Chiloquin	750000	187500	389000
WK-12-503	Rosie Nat. fuels underburn	Chiloquin	83000	83000	472000
wk 11-505	Panhandle Plantation	Chemult	89300	89300	561300
W-0-002	Noxious Weed Suppression	Forestwide	70000	70000	631300
W -02-306	Bayhouse fuels harvest	Chiloquin	307000	153500	784800
wk-11-501	Hwy 138 fuel reduction	Chemult	135935	135935	920735
WK-12-501	Airstrip riparian & meadow	Chiloquin	12500	12500	933235
W-2-301	Thousands of Willows	Chiloquin	10,000	10000	943235
WK-12-403	Ladder Fuel Reduction	Chiloquin	330000	165000	1108235
WK-0-502	Plant Material Collection	Forestwide	67500	67500	1175735
wk-11-502	Cub scout ladder fuels	Chemult	336653	168326	1344061
Wk-12-406	Rosie Natural Fuels Mech	Chiloquin	70000	70000	1414061
WK-12-504	Yosshouse Natural Fuels	Chiloquin	322000	161000	1575061
WK-12-405	Hog-Mill Riparian & Aspen	Chiloquin	14700	14700	1589761
WK-13-402	Rocky Point Community Fuels	Klamath	200000	200000	1789761
wk-11-504	Middle Jack Nest thinning	Chemult	217550	108750	1898511
WK-13-501	Southgate/Scoria	Klamath	326700	154300	2052811
E-K-502	Sycan Restoration & Monitoring	multiple	19,605	19,605	2072416
W-2-005	Head of River Restoration	Chiloquin	94500	94500	2166916
E-K-505	Klamath Co.Roads N.W. mapping	Klamath	22,000	22,000	2188916
W-3-304	West./Seldom PCT Plantations	Klamath	93000	93000	2259916
FK-01-501	Barnes Valley Old Growth	Bly	116800	116800	2305716
E-K-501	Klamath comm.service crew	Chemult	12,782	12,782	2318498
E-K-504	Klamath Co. Wide Inter.Weed Map	Klamath	55,000	55,000	2373498
E-K-503	Winema/Fremont Restoration	Che,Chi	17,016	17,016	

Lake County Projects

Project#	Project Name	District	County	FY05 Request	Approved amount	Running total
FL-04-501	Toolbox Reforestation	Silver Lake	Lake	450000	225000	225000
E-L-503	Chewaucan restoration Proj.(Weir)	Pvt.	Lake	100000	100000	325000
E-L-504	Certificate of Advanced Mastery	Paisley	Lake	24979	24979	349979
FL-04-503	Silver Creek LG.woody Debris	Silver Lake	Lake	21500	21500	371479
FL-04-504	Silver fire Riparian Restoration	Silver Lake	Lake	7500	7500	378979
F-0-001	Noxious Weed Suppression	FW	Lake	150000	100000	478979
E-L-305	Chewaucan Watershed Monitoring	Paisley	Lake	114000	114000	592979
FL-03-401	Chewaucan aspen/meadow enh	Paisley	Lake	137500	68750	661729
FL-02-501	UTC Understory thin/fuels	Lakeview	Lake	175000	87500	749229
F-3-005	Native Plant Prop./Culture	Paisley	Lake	50000	50000	799229
FL-03-501	Happy Camp Road Reconst.	Paisley	Lake	35800	35800	835029
E-L-502	Chewaucan & RAC project video	all	Lake	13000	13000	848029
FL-01-501	Barnes Valley OGE&FR	Bly	Lake	70800	70800	918829
FL-04-502	Winter & TB salvage &WP mon.	Silver Lake	Lake	26000	26000	944829
E-L-505	Abatement of non-native plants	Pvt.	Lake	35340	35340	980169
E-L-506	Forest Restoration & Monitoring	Silver lake	Lake	19604	19604	999773
E-L-501	Thomas Creek flow Information	pvt./co.	Lake	25300	25300	1025073